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Respectfully submitted,

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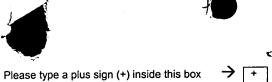
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The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)	139	130	139	130	Non-English specification		
Charge fee(s) indicated below X Credit any overpayments	147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
X Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
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1. BASIC FILING FEE	116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month		
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Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month		
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·	119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal		
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	121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	7	
	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
114 160 214 80 Provisional filing fee	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)0		1,280	241	640	Petition to revive – unintentional		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
Fee from Extra Claims below Fee Paid	143	460	243	230	Design issue fee		
Total Claims -20**= X =	144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee		
Independent Claims X = X	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
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Large Entity Small Entity	126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
109 84 209 42 **Reissue independent claims over original patent	169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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